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Interview Summary	Application No. 09/747,100	Applicant(s) OSTERER, MICHAEL	
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Aaron L Enatsky. (3) _____
 (2) Alphonso A. Collins. (4) _____

Date of Interview: 04 February 2003 .

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____ .

Claim(s) discussed: 1 .

Identification of prior art discussed: US Patent No. 6,206,782 to Walker et al. .

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Topics of discussion include clarification of claim 1 and the feature of automatically creating a virtual group. Claim 1 is currently directed to a group of virtual lottery ticket purchasers, not to a virtual group of lottery tickets purchases. Applicant also discussed the feature of automatically creating virtual groups using user identification information. .

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview(if box is checked).

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